



PATENT  
Customer No. 22,852  
Attorney Docket No. 06761.0054

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
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Takeshi MOMOCHI et al.	)	Group Art Unit: 3722
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Application No.: 10/611,341	)	Examiner: Dana Ross
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Filed: July 2, 2003	)	
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For: TOOL REPLACEMENT METHOD	)	Confirmation No.: 3810
AND NUT DRIVER FOR	)	
MACHINE TOOLS	)	

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450  
Sir:

**REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION**

In reply to the Office Action mailed March 13, 2006, the period for response having been extended to July 13, 2006, by a petition for an extension of time of one (1) month and fee payment of \$120.00 filed concurrently herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** follow the amendment sections of this paper.